In re PATENT application of:

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Title: HONEY-BASED COMPOSITION FOR RELIEF OF OCCASIONAL **HEARTBURN & DIGESTIVE DISORDERS**

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Assistant Commissioner For Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

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Transn	nitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.
	No additional fee is required.
	A check in payment of the fee is attached.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

		CLAIMS	AS AMENDED		
	Claims after Amend.	Highest Prev. Paid For	Extra	Rate SE/LE	Additional Fee
Total Claims	9	- 20	= 0	X \$9/\$18	= \$0
Indep Claims	4	- 3	= 1	X \$42\$84	= \$42
			Total Additions	al Fee for this Ame	ndment = \$42.00

\boxtimes	A check in the amount of \$42.00 is enclosed.
	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Amendment Fee of \$00 to our
	Deposit Account No. <u>09-0528</u> .
\boxtimes	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be
	required, or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 09-0528.

Respectfully submitted,

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Assistant Commissioner For Patents Box Amendments

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 12, 2002, please amend the present application as follows.

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-5 and 11-14 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please rewrite claims 6, 7, 15 and 16 in independent form as follows. Claims 6, 7, 15 and 16 are not being amended herein, but simply are being rewritten in independent form with all of the limitations contained therein as originally filed.

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6. (Independent Form) A composition for the relief of occasional heartburn and digestive disorders, said composition comprising: honey, and raw food fibers, wherein said composition further comprises 20-40 weight percent wheat bran, based on the total weight of the composition,

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